

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 13, line 18 to page 14, line 9, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 reproduces the encrypted data $e(v(), dID_0)$ and $f(wID_0, dID_0)$, and the encrypted contents data $c(u_0, cID_0)$ from the disc 30_0, and reproduces the disc ID dID_0 from the predetermined region of the disc 30_0. The disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 obtains the encrypted contents ID and control information $v(cID_0 + cIN_1, wID_0)$, and the write ID wID_0 by decrypting the reproduced encrypted data $e(v(), dID_0)$ and $f(wID_0, dID_0)$ by the use of the disc ID dID_0 . The disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 transmits the encrypted contents data ~~$v(u_0, wID_0)$~~ $v(cID_0 + cIN_1, wID_0)$ to the data processing apparatus 100_1 via the I/F, and performs $j()$ encryption processing for the write ID wID_0 and transmits the encrypted write ID data $j(wID_0)$ to the data processing apparatus 100_1. The encrypted contents data $c(u_0, cID_0)$ is transmitted to the data processing apparatus 100_1 without being processed.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 10 to page 15, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The data processing apparatus 100_1 performs $j.sup.-1()$ decryption processing for the encrypted write ID data $j(wID_0)$ to obtain the write ID wID_0 , and takes out the contents ID and control information $cID_0 + cIN_1$ by decrypting the $v(cID_0 + cIN_1, wID_0)$ from the disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 by the use of the obtained write ID wID_0 . The contents data u_0 can be obtained by decrypting the encrypted contents data ~~$v(u_0, wID_0)$~~ $c(u_0, wID_0)$ by the use of the contents ID cID_0 . At this time, the decrypting is restricted by the control information cIN_1 , or the control information cIN_1

itself is processed to be changed. For example, when the copied contents data u_0 is copied to another disc again, the control information cIN_1 is changed to control information cIN_2 .

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 15, line 14 to page 16, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In FIG. 3, the data processing apparatus 100_0, data processing apparatus 100_1, disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_0, and disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 are identical with those in FIG. 2. So, the elements or parts will be indicated with the same or similar reference numerals, and the explanation will be omitted. In FIG. 3, the encrypted contents ID and control information $v(cID_0+cIN_1, wID_0)$ and encrypted contents data $v(u_0, eID_0)$ $c(u_0, cID_0)$ from the disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_1 are transmitted to another disc recording and/or reproducing apparatus 10_2 and recorded to another disc 30_2.